

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yoshinao HARADA

Application No.: 10/602,724

Filed: June 25, 2003



Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 1545

Group Art Unit: 2826

Examiner: Fazli Erdem

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☐ Also attached:

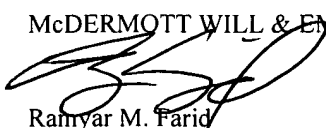
The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	32	34	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	5	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

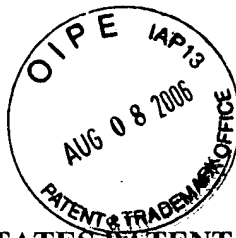
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**PATENT**

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 16, 2006, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.